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Subject: RE: Mary's quote

Thanks! yes we will send and post. Please amplify to your lists.

I can send you a preview shortly. We're still waiting on quotes.

From: Jenkins, Brandi <Jenkins.Brandi@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, December 17, 2020 9:33 AM
To: Rodriguez, Alejandra (Allie) <rodriguez.alejandra@epa.gov>; Block, Molly <block.molly@epa.gov>
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Subject: Mary's quote

Molly/Allie,

Below is Mary's quote for the 404 press release. Are you all sending and posting to the newsroom? And we only amplify?

Thanks – Brandi

"After a rigorous review, analysis and coordination process, EPA is pleased that the state of Florida will assume responsibility of its Clean Water Act Section 404 program," **said Region 4 Administrator Mary S. Walker.** "This approval is truly a reflection of the high-level scientific and regulatory expertise of the environmental professionals at the state, federal and tribal levels who ensured a legally and technically sound program. This monumental milestone will allow Florida to administer this program to best fit enhanced protection of its natural resources."

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